

## FLATS.

(A) SUSQUEHANNA FLATS DEFINED. - FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SECTION ANY PART OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY WITHIN THE FOLLOWING LINES SHALL BE KNOWN AS THE "SUSQUEHANNA FLATS", AND REFERRED TO IN THIS SECTION AS THE "FLATS". THE PORTION OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY AND TRIBUTARIES LYING SOUTH OF A LINE DRAWN EAST FROM CONCORD LIGHTHOUSE IN HARFORD COUNTY TO CARPENTERS POINT ON THE WESTERN SHORE OF CECIL COUNTY, AND NORTH OF A LINE BEGINNING AT THE LIGHTHOUSE ON TURKEY POINT IN CECIL COUNTY AND DRAWN WESTERLY TO A POINT HALF A MILE NORTH OF THE NORTHERLY PART OF SPESUTIE ISLAND, THEN CONTINUING THE LINE WESTWARD BUT AT NO TIME APPROACHING NEARER THAN A HALF MILE FROM THE NORTHERN END OF THIS ISLAND AND THE ADJACENT MAINLAND UNTIL IT REACHES THE HARFORD COUNTY SHORE AT OR NEAR OAKINGTON.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Article 66C, section 166 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(B) HUNTING LIMITED TO STATIONARY BLINDS, BODY BOOTING, GUNNING RIGS. -

(1) A PERSON MAY HUNT WILD WATERFOWL ONLY BY MEANS OF BODY BOOTING OR FROM STATIONARY BLINDS, BLIND SITES, AND OTHER LICENSED GUNNING RIGS WHICH SHALL BE WITHOUT POWER, EXCEPT OARS, AND MAY BE USED IN SHOOTING OR GUNNING OVER DECOYS. HOWEVER, AN OUTBOARD MOTOR MAY BE USED ON A SNEAK BOAT TO MAKE THE RUN BACK TO "JOHN GOOSE" OR CABIN BOAT AFTER THE SCULL HAS BEEN MADE AND THE SHOTS TAKEN, BUT NO SHOTS MAY BE FIRED WHILE THE MOTOR IS ATTACHED, EXCEPT AS PERMITTED BY FEDERAL LAW OR RULE OR REGULATION.

(2) EXCEPTION FOR BATTERY ISLAND. - A STATIONARY BLIND OR A BLIND SITE MAY NOT BE ERECTED ON BATTERY ISLAND.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Paragraph (1) of this subsection presently appears as Article 66C, section 167 of the Code. The definition of and reference to sneak boat is proposed for deletion in light of proposed section 10-601(e). The reference to blind site is included because the present language considered blind sites as defined in proposed section 10-601(b) to be encompassed within the reference to stationary blinds. The last sentence is proposed for deletion